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**Lincoln's Fees.**

As a rule, Abraham Lincoln's fees were less than those of other lawyers of his circuit. Justice Davis once remonstrated with him and insisted that he was doing a grave injustice to his associates at the bar by charging so little for his services. From 1850 to 1860 his income varied from \$2,000 to \$3,000, and even when he was recognized as one of the ablest lawyers of the state his fee book frequently shows charges of \$3, \$5 and \$1 for advice, although he never went into court for less than \$10. During that period he was at the height of his power and popularity, and lawyers of less standing and talent charged several times those amounts.—The True Abraham Lincoln.

**Couldn't Tell.**

Saturday afternoon a woman rushed up to one of the gatemen at the South station and asked: "Will I have time to catch my train if I wait for my husband?" "Where is he?" said the gateman. "I don't know," she replied. "Well, neither do I," said the gateman. She walked away. The incident was closed.—Boston Record.

**A Drop.**

In the new British pharmacopoeia a "drop" is defined as coming from a tube of which the external diameter is exactly three millimeters, twenty such drops of water at 15 degrees C. being equivalent to one millimeter or cubic centimeter.

**Society.**

Mrs. Clumber—You will find society is made up of two classes, my child. Daughter—What are they, mother? Mrs. Clumber—Undesirables and people we don't know.—Life.

**Women and Wills.**

Some women break their husbands' will long before he dies. And it isn't the kind you put on paper, either.—Macon News.

**Higher Than Pikes Peak.**

Ask any schoolboy to give the highest point in the state of Colorado, and nine out of ten will name Pikes peak. Pikes peak is 14,110 feet above sea level, but there are many higher peaks in Colorado. Massive mountain, in Lake county, is one of the two highest points in the state, whose height has been determined by the United States geological survey and is 14,402 feet above sea level. Elbert mountain, in the same county, has the same elevation. Blanca peak, in Costilla, Huerfano and Saguache counties, is 14,390 feet high; Castle peak, in Gunnison and Pitkin counties, is 14,250 feet high; Evans mountain, in Clear Creek county, 14,200 feet; La Plata peak, in Chaffee county, 14,332 feet; Quandary peak, in Summit county, 14,256 feet; San Luis mountain, triangulation station, in Mineral and Saguache counties, 14,149 feet; Uncompahgre peak triangulation station, in Hinsdale county, 14,306 feet, and Wilson mountain triangulation station, in Dolores county, 14,250 feet—all higher than Pikes peak.—Geological Survey Bulletin.

**Sunset and Twilight.**

Twilight is a phenomenon caused by atmospheric refraction. When the sun gets below the horizon we are not immediately plunged into the darkness of night. Although the sun is below our horizon, rays of solar light are bent or refracted by the terrestrial atmosphere and continue to furnish some slight illumination. The process continues with diminishing intensity until the sun is so far below the horizon that the refracting power of the atmosphere is no longer able to bend the rays enough to produce a visible effect. The time after sunset that the sun reaches such a position varies with the latitude of the place. There is less twilight at the tropic zone than at the temperate or frigid zone. This is due to less time taken by the sun's rays to pass through the atmosphere, at the tropic zone the sun's rays being perpendicular and at the temperate and frigid zones oblique.

**Aeroplane Wings.**

Various kinds of material including linen, silk, cotton, celluloid films and aluminum foil, have been tried for covering the wings of aeroplanes, but none has proved so satisfactory so far as linen covered with several coats of a rubber solution. This coating increases the strength of the linen about 5 per cent, makes it more enduring under varying weather conditions and causes it to stretch to an absolutely smooth surface, a feature that is of the utmost advantage in fast flights. Silk, which would seem to make an ideal covering on account of its lightness and strength, has been found unsatisfactory, as it does not withstand exposure to sun and rain and does not lend itself readily to the application of coating compounds.—London Answers.

**Dumas' Last Jest.**

Dumas the elder was the son of a general of Napoleon Bonaparte, who would take his soldiers by the breeches and fling them over the palisades to an assault. Dumas inherited much of that same spirit. It is said that Dumas left Paris for the last time taking with him a single gold piece, which he solemnly laid on the mantelpiece of his room at Puys. Toward the end his eye wandered across the sickroom to this coin, and, pointing to it, he said to his son: "See there! Fifty years ago when I came to Paris I had one louis in my possession. Why am I accused of being a prodigal? I have preserved and possess it still. See! There it is!" This was Dumas' last jest.

**When Jackson Dined.**

When Colonel Davy Crockett was a member of congress and was at his home in Tennessee some one asked him about the dinner hour in Washington. He said the common people ate dinner at 12, the next above them at 1, the merchants at 2, the representatives at 3, the senators at 4, members of the cabinet at 5 and the vice president at 6. "But when does the president dine?" "What! Old Hickory?" said Crockett, anxious to fix a time that would suit his idea of Jackson's greatness. "Well, he doesn't eat till next day!"

**Removing Stumps.**

The German method of removing stumps is simpler and less dangerous than our way. They bore a hole in the stump and pour into it equal parts of nitric and sulphuric acids. After a few weeks the largest stumps of hard wood are eaten by the acid and easily crumbled with a pick.—New York Times.

**Kept His Word.**

Condemned Murderer (to lawyer)—You said you could get me off with a life sentence, and here I am to be electrocuted in a week. Lawyer—That's all right. You will be imprisoned for life, won't you? And only a month, instead of long, weary years. Be reasonable, man.—Boston Traveler.

**His Cure.**

A man who married a widow has invented a device to cure her of eternally praising her former husband. Whenever she begins to decant on his noble qualities, this ingenious No. 2 merely says, "Poor, dear man—how I do wish he had not died!"

**A Waiting Mansion.**

Perhaps there is a mansion in heaven that will always be empty—a mansion waiting to receive those who in their youth never snubbed their anxious parents.—J. J. Bell.

**Naturally.**

Teacher—In the sentence I have just read tongue is a noun. Why? Ob-servant Pupil—Because it is a part of speech.—Baltimore American.

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**Immensity of Alaska.**

Alaska's immensity impresses one beyond belief. It embraces the picturesque, the sublime, the material and the beautiful. It reveals to the visitor, multiplied one hundred fold, the beautiful Thousand Island region of the St. Lawrence, the snow covered Alps, the flocks of Norway and the volcanic and glacial wonders of Iceland. It has the sweetest flowers, the most luxuriant vegetables, the finest grazing and timber lands, the richest fisheries and mineral deposits and a most healthful climate, with the warmth of the middle states in winter along southern and western Alaska and the dry, healing cold of the arctic in the highest latitude of the territory. Extending from our Pacific coast 3,000 miles toward the orient, Alaska is the glittering diamond of America's diadem.—John A. Slescher in Leslie's.

**How Yeast Makes Bread Rise.**

In the dough from which bread is made there is a lot of sugar, which contains carbon, hydrogen and oxygen. It is necessary to ferment this sugar to make bread edible, and yeast is used because it has the power to do this. It is made from a plant having this quality. Fermenting sugar is equivalent to burning it, and there are two results. One is the formation of carbonic acid gas. A great deal of this gas is caught in the dough in the form of large or small bubbles, and some of it escapes into the air. The part that cannot escape causes the dough to rise and makes the bread light. The holes in bread are the little pockets which held the carbonic acid gas. The effect of the bubbles is to lift the body of dough so that the heat can penetrate readily and bake it properly.

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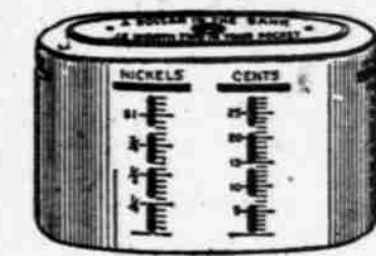
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